

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
FT. MYERS DIVISION

GARY REED SLIGAR

BK CASE NO. 9:16-bk-08276-FMD  
CHAPTER 11

**THE SOLOMON LAW GROUP, P.A.'S  
NOTICE OF FILING EMAILS AS REBUTTAL EVIDENCE TO SUSAN C. SLIGAR'S TESTIMONY AT  
TRIAL ON MARCH 6, 2018**

The Solomon Law Group, P.A. ("SolomonLaw") wants to bring the Courts attention the following documents to rebut Susan C. Sligar's assertion that SolomonLaw improperly influenced her to list the Marital Residence for sale.

- Email from Stanford R. Solomon to Ms. Sligar including three charts of money available after sale of property [Thumb Drive- Bates Label SLG 10288-10289, SLG 19516, SLG 19517, SLG 19518].
- Email from Allison D. Thompson to Ms. Sligar's tax attorney regarding Brad Hasselwander's proposed purchase of the Marital Residence and the financial implications to Ms. Sligar [Thumb Drive- Bates Label SLG 10557-10558].

**Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing has been served either by CM/ECF on March 6, 2018, to the following:

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**Attorney for Susan C. Sligar**

*/s/ Allison D. Thompson*  
Allison D. Thompson

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From: Stanford Solomon  
Sent: Saturday, July 08, 2017 7:43 AM  
To: Chron Account; Ana Maria Gonzalez  
Subject: Fwd: Susan Sligar/Domestic Relations

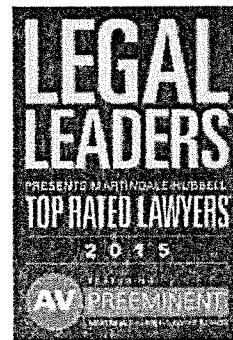
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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** Sue Sligar <[suesligar@cibg.biz](mailto:suesligar@cibg.biz)>  
**Date:** July 7, 2017 at 3:30:59 PM EDT  
**To:** Stanford Solomon <[SSolomon@SolomonLaw.com](mailto:SSolomon@SolomonLaw.com)>  
**Cc:** "Susan Sligar ([sligarsue@gmail.com](mailto:sligarsue@gmail.com))" <[sligarsue@gmail.com](mailto:sligarsue@gmail.com)>, "mercedes@wechsler-law.com" <[mercedes@wechsler-law.com](mailto:mercedes@wechsler-law.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Susan Sligar/Domestic Relations

Thank you! Printing now.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 7, 2017, at 3:29 PM, Stanford Solomon <[SSolomon@SolomonLaw.com](mailto:SSolomon@SolomonLaw.com)> wrote:

As discussed, attached are the three charts.

**THE SOLOMON LAW GROUP, P.A.**

Stanford R. Solomon

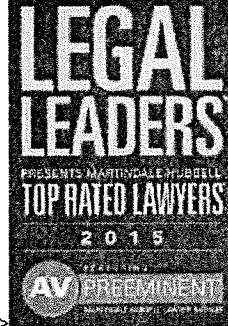
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<three charts - Sligar.pdf>

**SLIGAR CHART**

\$7,442,000.00	Purchase Price
\$480,000.00	Brokerage Commission
<b>\$7,922,000.00</b>	
\$625,000.00	Personal Property (Revised Offer)
<b>\$8,547,000.00</b>	
(\$480,000.00)	Brokerage Commission
(38,318.43)	2015 and 2016 Real Estate Taxes
(\$12,500.00)	Proration for 2017 ad valorem taxes
(\$3,079,497.13)	Mortgage Payoff
<b>\$5,416,684.44</b>	
\$2,000,000.00	Capital Gains Tax on Sale
\$3,416,684.44 divided by 2	

**\$1,228,342.22**

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\$7,442,000.00	Purchase Price
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(\$3,079,497.13)	Mortgage Payoff
<b>\$5,416,684.44</b>	
\$1,500,000.00	Capital Gains Tax on Sale
\$3,916,684.44 divided by 2	

**\$1,558,342.22**

**SLIGAR CHART**

\$7,442,000.00	Purchase Price
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<b>\$7,922,000.00</b>	
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(38,318.43)	2015 and 2016 Real Estate Taxes
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(\$3,079,497.13)	Mortgage Payoff
<b>\$5,416,684.44</b>	
\$1,000,000.00	Capital Gains Tax on Sale
\$4,416,684.44 divided by 2	

**\$1,728,342.22**

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**From:** Allison Thompson  
**Sent:** Friday, July 21, 2017 12:11 PM  
**To:** 'Zaks, Joe'; 'Sue Sligar'; 'broth@ralaw.com'  
**Cc:** 'Lipman, Lisa'; 'Sue Sligar'; Sue Sligar  
**Subject:** RE: Sligar, Sue Divorce, bankruptcy, estate sale  
**Attachments:** scan20170721121012011653.pdf

Good Morning Gentlemen:

As a follow up to our conversation on Wednesday below is an outline of what Sue would like to propose to Investor. This must be presented no later than Monday as we are operating on a very limited timeframe to exercise her right of first refusal.

- Investor loans Sue \$7,000,000 through a mortgage at 0% interest with a 4-year balloon on the main house and the cottage. (Investor responsible for all recording fees associated with the mortgage).
- Sue leases the main house to Investor as a rent to own for 4-years (the sale would also encompass the cottage). Investor would be responsible for all closing cost, settlement charges and any other expenses incurred based on the sale of the home when it closes
  - Would this help her establish the necessary requirements for a 1031 exchange?
- The mortgage payment equals the lease payment
- The lease agreement could take place until at least November 16th because of the Broker's Contract. The mortgage would have to take place immediately to effectuate the right of first refusal in the bankruptcy court-

The brokers contract doesn't expire until August 15th and contains a protection period of 90-days-so the lease could not take effect until then based on the provision in the current Listing Agreement which states: Broker's fee is due in the following circumstances: (1) if any interest in the Property is transferred, whether by sale, lease, exchange governmental action, bankruptcy, or any other means of transfer, regardless of whether the buyer is secured by Seller, Broker, or any other person. (2) If Seller refuses or fails to sign an offer at the price and terms of this Agreement, defaults on an executed sales contract, or agrees with a buyer to cancel the executed sales contract. . (3) If within 90-days after the Termination Date ("Protection Period), Seller transfers of contracts to transfer the Property or any interest in the Property to any prospects with whom Seller, Broker directly communicated regarding the Property before Termination Date, and the prospects were identified by Broker in a signed writing delivered to Seller before the Termination Date. However no fee will be due Broker if the Property is relisted after Termination Date and sold through another broker.

Risks I see: 1) this deal would be seen as a violation of the Broker's Contract exposing Sue to the entire commission 2) capital gains exposure issues 3) cash flow issues 4) upholding this agreement as the loan portion would have to take place immediately to allow her the right of first refusal when the lease couldn't take effect until November.

I have attached a chart which outlines the current offers and uses gross estimates as I am not a tax attorney nor a real estate attorney and am using speculative and imprecise capital gains numbers and closing cost numbers.

Please weigh in.

Thank you,

Allison

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Allison Thompson  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 19, 2017 9:04 AM  
**To:** 'Zaks, Joe'; Sue Sligar  
**Cc:** Lipman, Lisa  
**Subject:** RE: Divorce, bankruptcy, estate sale

Thanks Joe,

I am available for Ben all day.

-----Original Message-----

From: Zaks, Joe [mailto:[JJZaks@ralaw.com](mailto:JJZaks@ralaw.com)]  
Sent: Wednesday, July 19, 2017 9:01 AM  
To: Sue Sligar  
Cc: Allison Thompson; Lipman, Lisa  
Subject: RE: Divorce, bankruptcy, estate sale

I forwarded your email, and a summary of our conversation late yesterday to Ben Roth and asked him to call Alison Thompson.

-----Original Message-----

From: Sue Sligar [mailto:[suesligar@cibg.biz](mailto:suesligar@cibg.biz)]  
Sent: Tuesday, July 18, 2017 9:07 PM  
To: Zaks, Joe  
Cc: Allison Thompson  
Subject: Divorce, bankruptcy, estate sale

Hi Joe,

Thanks for your prompt response to my call. As I told you, I am currently going through a divorce and my husband filed personal bankruptcy to force the sale of our home.

We had a hearing last Tuesday and Wednesday permitting the sale of the home to a LLC and I have 40 days to be out of the home. I have a narrow window in which I have a first right of refusal option before the sale is final. I am hoping to avoid real estate commissions, and eventually 1031 the capital gains when I do sell the house. We are on 4+ lots, I split the front two lots with a cottage from the waterfront lots with the main house in April, hoping to retain my homestead with the cottage.

The investor ultimately wants to purchase the home, but an outright sale at this time would prevent me from achieving the above goals. I am looking for a way to give the investor security for the loan. Would a trust be a good option?

Please give my bankruptcy attorney, Alison Thompson, a call at (813) 225-1818 to discuss options. I am hoping to present something to the investor by tomorrow evening if possible.

Thank you!  
Sue  
(941) 270-7700  
Sent from my iPad